

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN  
SOUTHERN DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

Case No. 16-cr-20788

v.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT JUDGE  
GERSHWIN A. DRAIN

NANCY EATON,

UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE  
MONA K. MAJZOUB

Defendant.

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**ORDER DENYING THE GOVERNMENT’S MOTION TO ISSUE ARREST WARRANT  
AND HOLD BOND VIOLATION HEARING [37] AND MODIFYING BOND CONDITIONS**

On February 23, 2017, Nancy Eaton (“Defendant”) entered a guilty plea to Count One of the Superseding Indictment, which charged her with conspiracy to possess with intent to distribute, in violation of 21 U.S.C. § 846. Dkt. No. 35. During the plea hearing the Court instructed Defendant not to have any contact with her co-defendant.

Shortly after the plea hearing, Defendant posted on Facebook: “Frankie is going to testify against a certain person besides me and my attorney said and I quote he will do whatever it takes to keep his own ass out of trouble that came straight from Frankie’s attorney to mine.” Dkt. No. 37, p. 3 (Pg. ID 136). She followed this up by posting a photo of a stabbed rat, with the words “NO SNITCHING,” “KEEP OUR STREETS HONEST,” and “OBEDIENCE IS UN-

AMERICAN” written above and below the image of the dead rat. *Id.* at 4 (Pg. ID 137).

The Court finds that while this did not violate the explicit conditions of Defendant’s bond, Defendant has demonstrated an egregious lapse in judgment that necessitates additional bond conditions.

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that the following condition be placed on Defendant’s bond conditions list: Defendant may not publicly communicate about her co-defendant and his case by electronic media, including any Internet chat room, blog, or website such as Facebook, MySpace, LinkedIn, YouTube or Twitter.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that Defendant shall not intimidate or tamper with witnesses or informants, or otherwise obstruct a criminal investigation.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the Court **DENIES** without prejudice the Government’s Motion to Issue an Arrest Warrant [37].

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

Dated: March 30, 2017  
Detroit, MI

/s/Gershwin A Drain  
HON. GERSHWIN A. DRAIN  
United States District Court Judge